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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, and supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statement that was previously filed on October 5, 2006 and August 23, 2006, Applicants hereby bring to the attention of the Examiner a European Search Report dated December 22, 2008, with respect to patent family member European Patent Application No. 04821199.9, in which the following documents were cited:

- (1) CHUN-JEN TSAI et al., "Proposed Draft Requirements for ISO/IEC TR21000-12 Multimedia Test Bed for Resource Delivery, v. 3", VIDEO STANDARDS AND DRAFTS, no. M10159, October 14, 2003, XP030039037;
- (2) SUH et al., "Comprehensive interoperability between MPEG and Internet", VIDEO STANDARDS AND DRAFTS, no. M10047, October 14, 2003, XP030038926;

(3) “RTP payload formats for carriage of MPEG-4 content over IP Networks, part 2”,

59. MPEG MEETING; March 11, 2002 – March 15, 2002, JEJU; (MOTION

PICTURE EXPERT GROUP OR ISO/IEC JTC1/SC29/WG11), no. N4713,

April 30, 2002, XP030012228; and

(4) International Patent Publication No. WO 03/055219 A2.

The relevance of these documents, as ascertained with respect to the European claims by the European Examiner, is set forth in the EP search report.

Applicants note that the noted document (4) was previously cited in the Information Disclosure Statements that were filed on October 5, 2006 and August 23, 2006. Thus, a copy of the document is not provided herewith.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the above material and cite the same. Copies of the above-noted international documents are attached hereto, and are listed on the attached PTO-1449 Form. A copy of European Patent Search Report is also attached hereto. The Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached Form and to return a copy of the completed Form to Applicants with the next official communication in the present application.

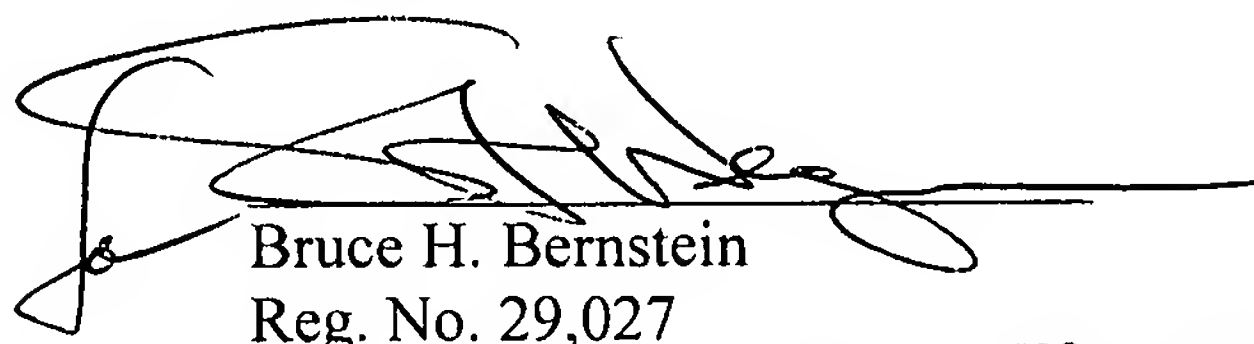
Applicants note that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted subsequent to the issuance of a Non-Final Office Action on the merits, but before the issuance of a Final Office Action on the merits. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(d), Applicants hereby certify that above-noted documents (1) – (3) contained in the Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from an foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the Information Disclosure Statement (document (4) having previously been cited in the October 5, 2006 and

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August 23, 2006 Information Disclosure Statement). Thus, no fee is believed necessary to ensure consideration of the submitted material.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,
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